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Answers will vary, but should mention clean or drinkable.

Suggested Additional Vocabulary: precious, pooling, forum, quench